

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF PUERTO RICO

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1 JOSE RAMON RIVERA ROSA,  
2 et al.,

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3 Plaintiffs,

4 v. CIVIL NO. 98-1734 (RLA)

5 MINDY LEE CORPORATION,  
6 et al.,

7 Defendants.

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10 MINUTES OF PRETRIAL/SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE  
HELD ON JANUARY 20, 2000  
11 AND SCHEDULING FURTHER PRETRIAL CONFERENCE

12 At the Pretrial/Settlement Conference held on January 20, 2000  
13 from 3:30 p.m. to 4:45 p.m. plaintiff was represented by ANIBAL  
14 ESCANELLAS RIVERA, ESQ. Defendant MINDY LEE CORP. was represented  
15 by CARLOS J. GROVAS-PORRATA, ESQ. and JAMES BELK ARCE, ESQ.

16 Defendant's Motion requesting deposition costs and expenses  
17 (docket No. 55) was GRANTED. Defendant shall submit a motion  
18 itemizing expenses related to the continuation of the deposition of  
19 SELLY SEISE on or before January 27, 2000.

20 Settlement was extensively discussed but was not achieved  
21 because defendant's principal could not be reached to obtain his  
22 authorization. Defendant will waive the deposition-related costs  
23 if the case is settled.

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In the event that settlement is not reached, a FURTHER PRETRIAL CONFERENCE was set for **January 24, 2000 at 5:00 p.m.**

The parties were reminded that the deadline for submission of the material required by the Standing Order applicable to civil trials is **January 26, 2000** and that TRIAL remains set for **February 1, 2000**.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

San Juan, Puerto Rico, this 1 day of January, 2000.

  
RAYMOND L. AUER

V RAYMOND L. ACOSTA  
United States District Judge